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**INDICTMENT RETURNED**  
**CHARGING POSTAL EMPLOYEE WITH MISAPPROPRIATION OF FUNDS**

Mobile, AL - A one-count indictment was returned today by a Federal Grand Jury against Deanna Johnson, Irvington, Alabama resident. Johnson was charged with the misappropriation of approximately \$1434.54 of moneys that came into her possession while employed as the Postmaster Relief.

United States Postal Inspectors investigated the case and presented it to the U.S. Attorney's Office for prosecution. The prosecutor assigned to the case is Assistant United States Attorney, Gina S. Vann.

An indictment is a determination by a grand jury that there is probable cause to believe that an offense has been committed by a defendant. A defendant, of course, is presumed innocent until and unless he or she is proven guilty at trial.